## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COUR 1 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

Phil Lombardi, Clerk

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## **ORDER**

It appearing that to insure their safety, the Probation Officers of this Court may require the carrying of firearms in the execution of their official duties.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED that when qualified and authorized by the Chief Probation Officer and in compliance with this Court's policy related to firearms as promulgated through the Chief Probation Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3603(9), each regularly appointed Probation Officer of this Court is authorized to carry a firearm for self defense purposes in the performance of his or her duties generally.

IT IS SO ORDERED this day of December 2001.

The Honorable/Terry C. Kern Chief U.S. District Judge